

**Induction presentation of Accreditation Study Work Group Process  
October 21, 2004**

**Issues raised, Questions asked**

- 1) Concern about the lack of equity between Induction and 5<sup>th</sup> year standards. What will be done about this?
- 2) Will Induction programs be “accredited” as teacher preparation institutions? If so, what about K-8 or K-6 districts and the WASC accreditation precondition?
- 3) Is it a goal to have an articulated accreditation and program review process across all teacher preparation programs? If this is so, is this documented anywhere?
- 4) Induction programs have not written to the Common Standards although the Induction Standards 1-9 cover the same topics as the Common Standards for the most part. All other preparation institutions have responded to the Common Standards.
- 5) Will Induction programs be approved or accredited? What is the difference?
- 6) Will Induction programs go before the COA? Will the review process be integrated with the Accreditation Process or continue to be the BTSA Formal Review Process?